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Patent Application Transmittal
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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

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entitled: **HIGH STRENGTH CREEP RESISTANT MAGNESIUM ALLOYS**

New Application

Continuing Application

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-Part (CIP)
 of Patent Application , filed .

[Note: If priority under 35 U.S.C. 120 involves a series of respectively co-pending applications, then in this amendment identify each and its relationship to its immediate predecessor.]

The prior application is assigned of record to

- This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f) and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed in calculating the fee:

The following are enclosed:

- Specification including Abstract (25 pages)
 9 Sheet(s) of Drawings (Figs 1-9B)
 23 Claim(s) (including 1 independent claim)
— This application contains a multiple dependent claim
— Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and references;

- This filing fee has been calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:

Basic Fee \$740.00 (\$370.00).....	\$740.00
Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (\$ 9.00) each: 3	54.00
Number of Independent Claims in excess of 3 at \$84.00 (\$42.00) each:	00.00
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- (X) Any additional filing fees required under 37 CRF 1.16
(X) Any patent application processing fees under 37 CRF 1.17.

- Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney
— New signed unsigned
— Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d))

Deletion of Inventors

- Signed Statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
— Power of attorney and/or correspondence address was changed during prosecution of the prior application. The new power of attorney is to . The new correspondence address is indicated above.
— Incorporation by Reference (for continuation or divisional application)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

- A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
(Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)

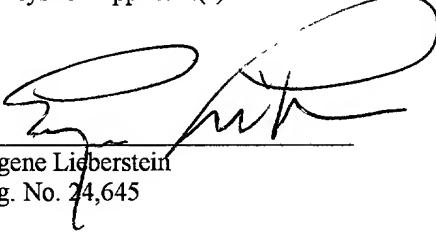
- DEPOSIT SHEET
- Cancel in this application original claims ___ of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
 - New formal drawings are enclosed.
 - A receipt in the Case of an Original Deposit under the Budapest Treaty on the International Recognition of the Deposit of Microorganisms for the Pursuit of Patent Procedure is enclosed.
 - Certified copy of each foreign priority application on which the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. 119 is based will be forwarded at a later date. A list of said foreign priority application(s) is (are) provided below. Acknowledgement thereof is requested.

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>	<u>In</u>
146336	November 5, 2001	Israel

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Respectfully submitted,

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